

## Abstract

A floor deck member (1; 30) for scaffolding (24), wherein the floor deck member at each end has a mounting area (2, 3; 33, 34) designed to rest on a scaffold beam (25; 26),  
 5 and downwardly projecting supporting pieces (2', 3'; 33', 34') at each end to limit movement of the floor deck member (1; 30) relative to opposing scaffold beams (25, 26) when these support the floor deck member. The floor deck member has a plurality of elongate reinforcing profiled members (4, 5, 6; 37, 38, 39) which are embedded in longitudinal ribs (7, 8, 9; 35, 35', 35'') on the underside of the floor deck member,  
 10 wherein support ribs (10, 11; 36, 36') are arranged between adjacent ribs (7, 8, 9; 35, 35', 35''). A walk surface (12, 31, 32), the ribs (7, 8, 9; 35, 35', 35'') and the support ribs (10, 11; 36, 36') are unitarily made of a composite plastic material, the respective end portions (4', 5', 6'; 37', 38', 39') of said profiled members (4, 5, 6; 37, 38, 39') forming said mounting area when bearing against respective ones of the opposing scaffold  
 15 beams (25; 26).

Figures 6 and 9.